

Going-Away Party Held; New Principal Welcomed

The executive board of the Harbor City Elementary School PTA were hostesses for a "going away" party in honor of Winston Scott, former principal of Harbor City Elementary School. The party was held Friday, August 28, in the school auditorium. The affair was also a welcome for the new principal, Mrs. Avis Creech, who was presented with a carnation corsage. Mrs. Creech has been principal of Van Ness Elementary School in Hollywood for the past five years, and has a total of 25 years experience in the educational field. Mrs. Creech and her family have taken up residence in their new home on N. Middle Ridge Lane, Rolling Hills.

Harbor City School since 1948, was presented with a clock for his desk at his new school, Bryson Street Elementary School in South Gate, by the PTA president, Mrs. Ray Groover, for the executive board. Scott was bid farewell by 30 PTA board members and teachers.

Hostesses were: Mmes. James Alexander, Leland Van Buren, O. C. Grubbs, Richard Seden and James Trifon.

A popular Southland camping area is Barton Flats situated east of Redlands in the San Bernardino National Forest. This area is 6,000 feet in elevation and is the starting point of many mountain trails leading to San Geronimo Mountain.

Red Cross Aids Help At Douglas

Volunteers of Torrance Branch, American National Red Cross assisted the Los Angeles Chapter Friday, Sept. 3 at Douglas Aircraft Co., 190th and Normandie sts. when a bloodmobile unit was located at the plant. A total of 310 persons were processed during the 5 1/2 hour operation with a total of 270 pints of whole blood received. Assisting Blood Recruitment Chairman Mrs. Gordon Jones were Mesdames David McMillan, William Cochran and Leo McMillen. Canteen volunteers were Mesdames Walter Coons, Axel Martinson and R. J. Rodgers.

Mehrens-Piatt Say 'I Do' at High Mass

Miss Mary Lou Mehrens, of 815 Anapola, became the wife of Joseph Piatt, 21100 S. Harvard Blvd., recently at a high mass ceremony held at St. Peter's Church, Anaconda, Montana, and presided over by Father Emmett Lowney.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mehrens of Anaconda, Montana, was given away by her father.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Mehrens, the sister-in-law of the bride, served as matron of honor while Miss Juanita Mehrens and Miss Dorothy Mehrens, sisters of the bride, served as bridesmaids.

Richard Thomas and James Leo Mehrens acted as ushers with Milton Mehrens serving as best man.

Gown
The bride wore a bodice and tunic of white chantilly lace and a nylon net over white satin gown. A Mary Queen of Scots crown and a finger tip veil completed her wedding ensemble.

The former Miss Mehrens carried a mother-of-pearl bound prayer book with white orchids and streamers.

Reception
Following the morning wedding, breakfast was served at the Montana Hotel and a reception followed at the Eagles' club room attended by 300 guests who included Mr. and Mrs. Dan M-Kittrick, mayor of Anaconda, and M. J. Kelly, county commissioner.

Honeymoon
For their honeymoon the couple chose a two week motor tour of Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, and California.

The bride's schooling included Anaconda and Butte schools. She is employed at North American Aviation, Inglewood.

The groom went to DePaul and Northwestern universities in Chicago. He is office manager of the Universal Furniture Co. in Torrance. Among his affiliations he numbers membership in the Loyal Order of Moose of which he was a past prelate; member of the American Legion Post No. 170; and Commission member, Department of California, American Legion.

The couple will make their home



MISS MARY LOU MEHRENS . . . became Mrs. Joseph Piatt recently. The bride wore a bodice and tunic of white chantilly lace and a nylon net over white satin gown. A Mary Queen of Scots crown and a finger tip veil completed the wedding ensemble. The former Miss Mehrens carried a mother-of-pearl bound prayer book with white orchids and streamers.

at 21100 S. Harvard Blvd., as of Ray Fleeming and the St. Peter's church choir, Mrs. John Sugrue today.

High mass was sung by Mrs. was the organist.

THANK YOU...
FOR THE WONDERFUL RESPONSE AND MANY COMPLIMENTS WE RECEIVED DURING OUR GRAND OPENING LAST FRIDAY, SEPT. 4th. Our Policy is Simply to Offer Our Customers Distinctive Gifts and Unusual Floral Service.

RICHARD CRITES — WESLEY HARRISON
FLAMINGO Flowers and Gifts
1344 EL PRADO FA. 8-7648

Hold Party

Mrs. Francis Foley, 1650 W. 204th St. hosted the following at a buffet dinner recently: Mrs. Marineau and daughters, Marie and Janet, from Woodland Hills; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith and daughter, Stephanie, from Santa Ana; and Mrs. Dailey from Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mrs. Foley, and her son, David, returned from a trip to Storm Lake, Iowa, where Mrs. Foley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Davidson, for a month.

OPENING SPECIALS!

FREE SKIRT or SWEATER CLEANED WITH \$3.00 OF CLEANING

EXPERT LAUNDRY SERVICE
• HATS
• TIES

LOVELL CLEANERS
1116 CRENSHAW BLVD. (JUST OFF TORRANCE BLVD.)

Howdy Doody Says
Le King's is Your Poll-Parrot Headquarters in Torrance

Red or Brown
Sizes 8 1/2 to 12
\$699
B-C-D Widths

All White, Brown & White, Black & White
Sizes 8 1/2 to 12
\$595
12 1/2 to 3
\$699

Red or Brown
Sizes 8 1/2 to 12
\$595

Red or Brown
Sizes 12 1/2 to 3
\$699
B-C-D Widths

Le King's SHOE STORE
1319 1/2 SARTORI AVENUE
TORRANCE — FAirfax 8-2426

OPEN FRIDAY NIGHTS 'TIL 9 P.M.



The West's 6,000,000th telephone was installed last week in the home of Master Sergeant (USMC) and Mrs. Lionel P. Williams.

WEST'S 6,000,000th TELEPHONE GOES TO WORK

Interstate Telegraph Company installs milestone instrument in Barstow, Calif.

A veteran of Korea and his wife are making calls this week over the West's 6,000,000th telephone. It was installed September 2nd by the Interstate Telegraph Company (an affiliate of the California Electric Power Company) which provides telephone service in Barstow and the surrounding territory. The Williams' telephone brings the total in the West to almost double what it was at the end of World War II—a remarkable growth record made possible by the combined efforts of more than 200 telephone companies.



Telephone business is a community business

The telephone business is essentially a local business. Ninety percent of all telephone calls are local calls. And in the hundreds of communities served by the West's telephone companies, local people—your friends and neighbors—provide your telephone service, working constantly to furnish good service at low cost.

YOUR TELEPHONE IS ONE OF TODAY'S BEST BARGAINS

It may surprise you to know that the West is served by more than 200 different telephone companies and the U. S. by over 5,200 companies. And the teamwork among them makes it possible for any telephone in the West to be connected with any of the 49,000,000 telephones in America. Surely one important reason for the West's sound growth is the cooperation among the telephone companies which serve it.



WE'RE STARTING A

PRICE WAR

WE WILL BRING LOWER PRICES TO THE SOUTH BAY AREA
CHECK THESE PRICES

2 YEARS TO PAY WEEK DAYS 9 A. M. TO 9 P. M.—OPEN SUNDAYS
FURTHER DRASTIC REDUCTIONS

ARMSTRONG'S ASPHALT TILE
Marbled Colors
Reg. 7c Ea. **4¢** Per Tile
9"x9"

ARMSTRONG'S LINOLEUM RUGS
FAMOUS NURSERY PATTERNS INCLUDED
4⁹⁵
9x12 IMPORTED ALL-WOOL HANDHOOKED RUGS
Reg. \$99.50
• Extra Heavy • Deep Pile
• Many Patterns • Durable
• Closely Woven • All Sizes
59⁵⁰

BROADLOOM Heavy All Wool FRIEZE
Reg. \$10.95 Yd. **\$5⁸⁹** yd.
SAVE \$5.00
COME EARLY FOR BEST SELECTIONS

BROADLOOM Tone-on-Tone
COLORS BLENDED TOGETHER FOR USE IN ANY DECOR
Reg. \$7.95 Yd. **\$3⁸⁹** yd.
SAVE \$4.00

BROADLOOM CAROUSEL
HEAVY ALL WOOL LOOP Multi-Tones for Early American, Maple or Provincial Furnishings
Reg. \$9.95 Yd. **\$5⁹⁵** yd.
SAVE \$4.00

HEAVY COT. BOUCLE
Regular Values to \$7.95 Yard
SPECIAL ROLL ENDS **\$2⁹⁵** Yard

CALIFORNIA HAND LOOMED BROADLOOM
A hand loomed all wool multi-colored carpeting ideal for Early American, Provincial and ranch type decor. Square Yard **\$6⁹⁵**

LINOLEUM TILE
9x9 Size **5¢** per tile
All colors

ARMSTRONG'S WALL COVERING
All colors **5¢** Sq. Ft.
54" wide

SALE! SAMPLE Throw Rugs
VALUES TO \$13.95
\$2⁹⁵
SIZES 27"x54"

ARMSTRONG'S INLAID LINOLEUM
Regular up to \$2.67 Yd.
99¢ Sq. Yd.

HALL RUNNERS
WILTONS AND AXMINSTERS
Reg. \$6.95 Yd. **\$2⁶⁹** Yd.

FREE BINDING
WITH EVERY CARPET PURCHASE FRIDAY

MONARCH CARPET

201 Pacific Coast Hwy., Hermosa Beach Weekdays 9 A.M. to 9 P.M. Open Sundays FR. 2-0648